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Thalidomide Class Action

Slater & Gordon Ltd (ASX:SGH) today announced the settlement of Lynette Rowe's legal action against Diageo plc with respect to thalidomide. Under the terms of the settlement the damages amount is to remain confidential between the parties.

Slater & Gordon has been conducting the class action in joint venture with Gordon Legal since 2010 on a No Win No FeeTM basis for lead plaintiff Lynette Rowe and other class members who suffered from the effects of the drug thalidomide in the 1960s.

At this stage it is not anticipated that there will be any material increase in net earnings in FY13 connected with the settlement of Lynette Rowe's legal action.

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